

## Message Text

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FROM EASUM

EO 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR, SF

SUBJECT: PRESS QUESTIONS ON SOUTH AFRICA

1. WOULD APPRECIATE UNCLASSIFIED RESPONSES I COULD USE IN ANSWERING PRESS QUESTIONS ON HOW IMPORTANT TO US ARE SOUTH AFRICAN DIAMONDS, URANIUM (INCLUDING NAMIBIA) AND GOLD? IS THERE ANY ADDITIONAL GUIDANCE I SHOULD HAVE ON CLASSIFIED BASIS?

2. WOULD YOU ALSO SEND ME LATEST SITREP ON AUTHORIZATION REQUEST FOR UPGRADING DIEGO GARCIA, PLUS LATEST PRESS GUIDANCE ON THAT ISSUE (OR CITATION OF TELEGRAM IF ALL POSTS HAVE IT).  
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## Message Attributes

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